

COUNCIL CHAMBERS -- CITY COUNCIL  
CITY HALL -- CITY OF LODI

TUESDAY, JANUARY 3, 1939

The first Monday in January falling upon a legal holiday, the City Council of the City of Lodi met in regular session at 8:00 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, January 3, 1939 in conformity with the provisions of Ordinance No. 161.

The meeting was called to order by the Mayor and on call of the roll, Councilmen Clark, Graffigna, Spooner, Weihe and Mayor Steele were present, none absent.

The minutes of the last meeting held December 19, 1938 were read, approved as read and so endorsed by the Mayor.

Mrs. Leona Sharar owner of two lots on Railroad Avenue asked the Council's assistance in dispossessing tenants from her property.

The report of the Chief of Police and that of the City Poundmaster for the month of December, 1938 were received read and ordered filed, likewise the quarterly report from the Secretary of the Lodi Volunteer Fire Department.

The Committee of the Council handling the purchase of the Doepke property recommended that nineteen acres be purchased for the sum of \$6,000.00.

Mr. Glenn West was reappointed City Attorney for the calendar year by the adoption of Resolution No. 980 and Mr. Clinton Henning was reappointed City Engineer of the City of Lodi for the calendar year 1939 by the adoption of Resolution No. 981, both resolutions passed by the assenting votes of all members of the Council.

On motion of Councilman Spooner, seconded by Councilman Graffigna, Ordinance No. 249 entitled "AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE REGISTRATION OF BICYCLES IN THE CITY OF LODI AND PROVIDING PENALTY FOR VIOLATION THEREOF" was introduced and read by the Clerk and ordered laid over for the statutory period of not less than five days.

Seven applications for business licenses were ordered granted, also one application for a dance license the latter subject to the approval of the Police Department.

On the recommendation of Mr. J. A. Henning, the wages of John Wanner and of Charles Sherman were ordered increased to the sum of \$150.00 each per month. This was done on motion of Councilman Spooner, seconded by Councilman Weihe. On motion of Councilman Weihe, seconded by Councilman Clark the rate of pay for Mr. R. B. Venable was ordered increased to \$2 1/2 per hour.

On motion of Councilman Weihe, seconded by Councilman Graffigna claims in the amount of \$23,061.72 including the amount authorized by Resolution No. 982 were allowed and warrants ordered drawn in payment thereof.

Mayor Steele then addressed the Council in regard to the opportunity afforded Mr. C. S. Jackson, Chief of Police to enter the F.B.I. school of training at Washington, D.C. and on his motion, seconded by Councilman Weihe, Resolution No. 982 was moved and passed by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmen, Steele, Weihe, Clark, Graffigna  
and Spooner  
NAYS: Councilmen, None  
ABSENT: Councilmen, None

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RESOLUTION NO. 982

WHEREAS, Mr. C. S. Jackson, Chief of Police of this City has been signally honored by an appointment to attend the Training School of the Federal Bureau of Investigation at Washington, D.C., and,

WHEREAS, it is to the advantage of this City that Mr. Jackson be enabled to attend this school and receive instruction thereat to the end that the City's police force will be better instructed in the prevention and detection of crime and the apprehension of criminals, therefore,

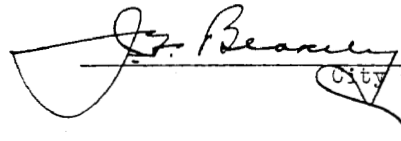
BE IT RESOLVED, that C. S. Jackson, Chief of Police of this City of Lodi be, and he is hereby granted leave of absence for three months with full pay in order that he may attend the Training School of the Federal Bureau of Investigation at Washington, D. C. such leave to date from the fourth day of January, 1939.

BE IT ALSO RESOLVED, that Mr. Jackson be allowed his necessary expenses including transportation during the time he is attending said Training School and that he be advanced the sum of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00) immediately payable by warrant drawn on the City Treasury and that the City Clerk be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to purchase a round-trip ticket for Mr. Jackson to Washington, D. C. (including necessary sleeping accommodations), by check drawn on the Revolving Fund, of which fund, the City Clerk is custodian.

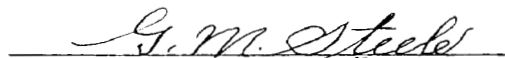
Councilman Clark reported on the necessity of taking some measure of protecting the water supply for the municipal baths and he was instructed to have the trees taken out of the river which now divert its flow to the South bank. Mr. Clark also stated that some action should be taken towards providing additional room at the public dump grounds.

No further business appearing the Council adjourned on motion of Councilman Weihe.

ATTEST:

  
City Clerk

The foregoing minutes of a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Lodi were read and approved without correction at a subsequent meeting of said City Council held January 16, 1939.

  
Mayor.